CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE CATHY COX

(Pursuant to O.C.G.A. §§ 50-13-3, 50-13-4, and 50-13-6)

I do hereby certify that the attached emergency rule is a correct copy as promulgated and adopted on the 9th day of June, 2005.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH FILING DATE: _____ Emergency Rule in Chapter 111-4-1-0.1-.03 is hereby adopted by amending paragraph (5)(a). Also, Emergency Rule 111-4-1-0.1-.06 is hereby adopted by amending paragraph (1)(a). These rules read as attached hereto and both shall be effective June 16, 2005 and shall remain in effect for 120 days. Authority O.C.G.A. §§ 45-18-1 et. seq., 20-2-922, 20-2-894, 20-2-911, 20-2-911, 20-2-897, 20-2-925, 50-18-72, 50-18-94, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). For the first time in the State Fiscal Year 2006 plan year, all non-retiree subscribers were required to enroll or reenroll electronically. Because this is a significant change in enrollment methodology, there is a risk that some subscribers did not learn of, or appreciate the significance of, this requirement. Subscribers who did not enroll or reenroll electronically were not eligible for the reduced premiums available to subscribers whose coverage unit was tobacco free and, if the subscriber sought coverage for a spouse, whose spouse utilized any other available coverage. This _____ day of _______, <u>2005</u> . COMMISSIONER, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____

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Notary Public